### §244.3 Reporting of tarmac delay data.

- (a) Each covered carrier shall file BTS Form 244 "Tarmac Delay Report" with the Office of Airline Information of the Department's Bureau of Transportation Statistics on a monthly basis, setting forth the information for each of its covered flights that experienced a tarmac delay of three hours or more, including diverted flights and cancelled flights on which the paswere boarded and then sengers deplaned before the cancellation. The reports are due within 15 days after the end of the month during which the carrier experienced any tarmac delay of three hours or more. The reports shall be made in the form and manner set forth in accounting and reporting directives issued by the Director, Office of Airline Information, and shall contain the following information:
  - (1) Carrier code
  - (2) Flight number
- (3) Departure airport (three letter code)
- (4) Arrival airport (three letter code)
- (5) Date of flight operation (year/month/day)
- (6) Gate departure time (actual) in local time
- (7) Gate arrival time (actual) in local time
- (8) Wheels-off time (actual) in local time
- (9) Wheels-on time (actual) in local time
  - (10) Aircraft tail number
- (11) Total ground time away from gate for all gate return/fly return at origin airports including cancelled flights
- (12) Longest time away from gate for gate return or canceled flight
- (13) Three letter code of airport where flight diverted
- (14) Wheels-on time at diverted airport
- (15) Total time away from gate at diverted airport
- (16) Longest time away from gate at diverted airport
- (17) Wheels-off time at diverted airport
- (b) The same information required by paragraph (a)(13) through (17) of this section must be provided for each subsequent diverted airport landing.

### PART 247—DIRECT AIRPORT-TO-AIRPORT MILEAGE RECORDS

AUTHORITY: 49 U.S.C. chapter 401.

SOURCE: Amdt. 247-2, 56 FR 67170, Dec. 30, 1991, unless otherwise noted.

## § 247.1 Official mileage record of the Department of Transportation.

The direct airport-to-airport mileage record now maintained, and as hereafter amended or revised from time to time by the Office of Airline Information of the Bureau of Transportation Statistics of the Department of Transportation in the regular performance of its duties, is hereby adopted as the official mileage record of the Department and the mileages set forth therein shall be used in all instances where it shall be necessary to determine direct airport-to-airport mileages pursuant to the provisions of Titles IV and X of the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended, or any rule, regulation, or order of the Department pursuant thereto.

[Amdt. 247–2, 56 FR 67170, Dec. 30, 1991, as amended at 60 FR 66725, Dec. 26, 1995]

# PART 248—SUBMISSION OF AUDIT REPORTS

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248.1 Applicability.

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 $248.5\,\,$  Withholding from public disclosure.

AUTHORITY: 49 U.S.C. 329 and chapters  $41102, \, 41708, \, \text{and} \, \, 41709.$ 

SOURCE: ER-420, 29 FR 13799, Oct. 7, 1964, unless otherwise noted.

### § 248.1 Applicability.

The requirements of this part shall be applicable to all air carriers subject to the requirements of part 241 of this subchapter.

#### §248.2 Filing of audit reports.

(a) Whenever any air carrier subject to §248.1 shall have caused an annual audit of its books, records, and accounts to be made by independent public accountants, such air carrier shall file with the Office of Airline Information, in duplicate, a special report consisting of a true and complete copy of